

DATE: 11/16/2020

REPLY TO  
ATTN OF: Mary

SUBJECT: Possibly Related Case  
CASE NUMBER: 1:20-cv-1098  
CASE CAPTION: Johnson et al v. Benson et al

TO: Magistrate Judge Green

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

## memorandum

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November 17, 2020 3:17 PM  
CLERK OF COURT  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
BY:JMW SCANNED BY: JW / 11-17

According to the nature of the complaint and common parties, this case may be related to the case listed below:

Judge Janet T. Neff

Case Number 1:20-cv-1083

Case Number \_\_\_\_\_

Case Number \_\_\_\_\_

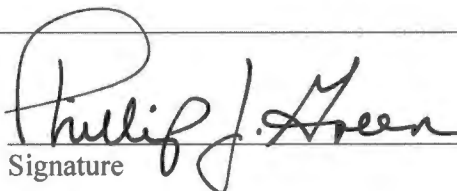
☒ Case is related ☐ Case is not related

Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 3.3.1(d)(iii)(A), civil cases are deemed related when a filed case:

- ☐ (1) relates to property involved in an earlier numbered pending suit
- ☒ (2) arises out of the same transaction or occurrence and involves one or more of the same parties as a pending suit
- ☐ (3) involves the validity or infringement of a patent already in suit in any pending earlier numbered case
- ☐ (4) is a refiling of an earlier case that was dismissed or remanded to state court

COMMENTS BY MAGISTRATE JUDGE: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: Nov 17, 2020

  
Signature

☒ Direct assignment performed  
☐ Random assignment performed

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